

**DECLARATION FOR
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PATENT APPLICATION**

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"A PHOSPHORUS-AND NITROGEN-CONTAINING RESIN HARDENER AND A FLAME RETARDING RESIN COMPOSITION CONTAINING SAID HARDENER"

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